

IFE IN HIS HANDS.

an "Evening World" Artist Has a Hazardous Trolley Ride

It Was in Brooklyn and the Conductor Was a Daisy.

Aunt Dinah, the Timid Woman and a Policeman.

Although it is a very serious undertaking to ride in a trolley car in Brooklyn when the passenger is not rigidly out as a baseball catcher or in some similar way to protect himself from flying rocks, an "Evening World" artist, who took his life in his hands to the extent of riding from the bridge to the Halsey street depot, discovered that there is humor in even a strike.



A "TWO-THIRD" THIS END HAD COME.

The conductor on the car selected, because it seemed well suited for withstanding an onslaught, came either from Providence or Boston, judging from his appearance, and had seen better days. This was evident from the fact that his clothes were once of a duds cut, but time had relegated them out of fashion.

The overcoat was of the "see more" cut, and underneath it a suit asserted its rights by extending an inch or so below the outer garment. His derby hat was of the '93 style, except a "hen's nest" on the right side, which was clearly an up-to-date thing, made by a strike's brickbat, and his kid gloves were of the kind that might have been worn on an Easter Sunday promenade in '92.

Incidentally it was noticed that the conductor had red hair, and a two-weeks' growth of red beard on his face, which showed that he was honest, for he would otherwise have "knocked down" enough fares to get the price of a shave.

The most attractive feature about him, however, was his gloves, which he did

not remove while collecting fares. Some of his new duties puzzled him, though, as, for instance, when called upon to put coal in the car stove, he could not find the shovel. He faced the dilemma for a few moments in an uncertain way.



SHE WANTED PROTECTION AND SHE GOT IT.

Just about this time a colored woman entered the car, and remarking to the conductor that she had been through the war and didn't care for strikes, took a seat near the door. She was just telling the passengers confidentially that this little trouble was nothing compared with what she had been through in the car in the rear seat control of the electric current, and let her car run into the one ahead.

The shock threw Aunt Dinah to her knees on the car floor and forgetting her bravery and 61, she offered up a supplication for the preservation of her life in the approved "camp-meeting" style. The conductor rang the bell on her, however, and the car started, as she said "Amen."



NOT EXACTLY STILL.

During this time the policeman supposed to be on guard on the rear platform with the conductor had taken an official air of superiority. He was of imposing presence, had a mustache that needed only to complete its beauty and a goatee that charmed every eye. A young girl was sitting by the policeman's side when a woman of about thirty entered the car, looked around nervously, and discovering the haven of guaranteed protection, walked up to the young girl, and, after pushing her to one side, she sat down by the policeman.

"I must have protection," she said, apologetically. "These strikes are awful, simply awful. I'm afraid to go out of the house, and for the life of me I don't know what to do."

Dr. Smart's all she said. In fact, she went on talking for ten blocks, and at every corner stopped up closer to the policeman and grew more and more nervous. The policeman smiled like a young man in love, and when she said "I'm afraid to go out of the house, and for the life of me I don't know what to do," he pulled and twisted at

his mustache to give a little relief to his head. He looked at the artist and the car there was danger that the right hand strand of his mustache would be twisted off.



FILLING THE STOVE.

To the honor of the police, it should be said that he divided with the motor-man and conductor, a healthy-looking individual, leaped to the sidewalk, and then to the house, the door of which was opened for him. There was some talk of conspiracy among the passengers of 171 Broadway, and Charles Neurer, of 255 Fourth avenue, also called.

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The eight-hour movement of the clothing cutters and trimmers was introduced at a meeting of tailors and other garment workers, assembled at the headquarters of the Tailors' Union.

It was also resolved to form a Trades Council of Clothing Workers.

Journeymen Horseshoers' Union No. 55 has elected the following officers: Robert Johnson, President; Michael Gaffney, Vice-President; James Lynch, Recording Secretary; P. Carr, Financial Secretary and Treasurer; James Allen, Sergeant-at-Arms; Charles Firestone and P. J. O'Brien, Trustees.

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QUIGLEY MORE COMPOSED.

The Big Forger Will Hear His Doom To-morrow.

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"CITY HALL A MENACE."

Alderman Ware's Resolution to Have It Cleaned.

At the Board of Aldermen meeting to-day Alderman Ware offered a resolution providing for the clearing and renovation of the City Hall. The resolution recited that the condition of the building was "an offense to the sight and a menace to the public health."

On motion of Alderman Brown, the matter was referred to the Commissioner of Public Works.

Alderman Ware offered another resolution asking that an investigation be had of the so-called "Marriage Bureau" in room 13, City Hall. Referred to the Committee on County Affairs.

Alderman Ware offered another resolution, which was passed. Indorsing the bill introduced by Assemblyman Paye to increase the pay of members of the Fire Department. The matter was referred to the Committee on Legislation with instructions to advocate the passage of the law in Albany.

Feb. 23 was fixed as the date for a public hearing on the petition of the Third Avenue Railroad for a franchise for the St. Nicholas Avenue and Kingsbridge Road to the city limits.

MR. HEWITT'S SPARKING.

The Ex-Mayor Refers to It in a License Case To-day.

On the trial before the Excise Board this morning of the application of Morris Well for a hotel license for 100 East Twenty-eighth street, ex-Mayor Abram B. Hewitt, accompanied by a number of attractive looking women, residing in the neighborhood, appeared to protest against the license.

Helena M. Jacobs was introduced by Mr. Hewitt with the remark: "It was in her parlor that I sparked my wife. She knows me and I know her."

"Yes, I know you," retorted Mrs. Jacobs, "and I know all about your courtship. You were a very earnest lover in your younger days."

Mrs. Jacobs did not think Well would run his place respectably.

One of the witnesses said her boarders were so respectable that they wouldn't eat at any place except the "St. Denis, on Broadway."

The applicant testified he had been at Delmonico's a long time, and also had been chef at the Gilbey House. In support of his claim that his place would be eminently respectable he said a prominent man and his wife, now living at the Hotel Imperial, had engaged apartments. Decision was reserved.

For the Firemen's Relief Fund.

Secretary Carl Jones, of the Fire Board, acknowledges the receipt of a check for \$100, payable to the relief fund of the widows and orphans of the firemen from Messrs. R. M. Cowperthwaite & Co. The check was sent in appreciation of the bravery and efficiency of the firemen in preventing the fire from spreading to the building.

This Man Wears a Life.

John M. Monie, sixty-two years old, an express messenger, whose home is at 408 East Eleventh street, attempted to commit suicide to-day in a lively stable, at 408 East Eleventh street, by shooting himself in the side of the head. He was taken to Bellevue Hospital. His recovery is doubtful.

Killed Himself and Two Children.

HENDERSON, Ky., Jan. 22.—Edward Rivers, living near Berea, Hamilton County, shot his two children, a boy of six and a girl of eight years, and fired a bullet into his own brain. Rivers was addicted to the habitual use of morphine and laboring under the delusion that his children were being poisoned by him. The bodies of the children were found in a room in the house. The father was taken to the hospital.

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